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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the information required to be included in an adoption petition.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

4 TLSB 5234SC 81

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Section 1. Section 600.5, Code 2005, is amended by adding 2 the following new subsections: 3 <u>NEW SUBSECTION</u>. 7A. Any name by which the petitioner is 4 known or has been known. 1 NEW SUBSECTION. 7B. The existence and disposition of any 1 6 criminal charges under a law of any state against the 1 7 petitioner, and the existence and disposition of any reported 8 allegation of child abuse including any record of founded 9 child abuse as defined in section 232.68 in which the 1 1 10 petitioner is named in the reported allegation or record as 1 11 having abused a child. 1 12 EXPLANATION

1 13 This bill requires that in addition to other information 1 14 required to be stated in an adoption petition, the following 1 15 information shall also be stated by the petitioner: any name 1 16 by which the petitioner is known or has been known; the 1 17 existence and disposition of any criminal charges under a law 1 18 of any state against the petitioner; and the existence and 1 19 disposition of any reported allegation of child abuse 1 20 including any record of founded child abuse in which the 1 21 petitioner is named in the reported allegation or record as

1 22 having abused a child. 1 23 LSB 5234SC 81

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